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Whitehall, December 17.

HIS Majesty has been pleased to constitute and appoint Mathew Norris, Esq; to be one of His Majesty's Commissioners in Quality of a Principal Officer of His Majesty's Navy for the Affairs of His Majesty's Yard at Plymouth, in the Room of Sir Nicholas Trevanian, Kt. deceased.

Admiralty Office, December 12, 1737.

Whereas Information has been given, That some Frauds and Abuses have been committed by a Clerk employed in paying the Pensions and Bounty Money to Sea Officers Widows; the Governours of that Charity do hereby give Notice, That a Court of Assistants will meet at the Admiralty Office, on Thursday the 22d Instant, at Ten in the Morning, in order to inquire into the same. And all such Widows as have received short of the Sums ordered to be paid to them, or have sold the same before Payment, are desired to attend, and inform the said Court of what they know of that Matter, in order to the procuring what Satisfaction can be got for them. And those who live at too great a Distance to attend themselves, or for any Body to appear for them, are desired to send me an Account thereof in Writing, in order to its being laid before the said Court. Tho. Corbett.

The Governors of the Bounty of Queen Anne for the Augmentation of the Maintenance of the Poor Clergy, have agreed to augment the Forty Two small Livings following, Fourteen of which were augmented in Conjunction with several charitable Benefactors, and the other Twenty Eight by Lot. The Names of the Livings are as follow, viz. The Vicarage of Hayton, and the Curacy of Holbeck, both in the C. of York, and the Cur. of St. John Lees in the Pecul. Jurisdiction of Hexham, all in the D. of York. The Cur. of Birkit or Birkinhead, in the C. of Chester, and the Cur. of Helsington in the C. of Westmorland, both in the D. of Chester. The Cur. of Llanvair in Builth, in the C. of Brecon and D. of St. David's. The Cur. of Allenton and Hollyston, in the C. of Northumberland and D. of Durham. The Cur. of the Chappel in the Lea, in the C. and D. of Gloucester. The V. of Stow with Knighton Chappel, in the C. of Radnor and D. of Hereford. The Cur. of Mellor in the C. of Derby, and the V. of Greenborough in the C. of Warwick, both in the D. of Lichfield and Coventry. The V. of Whitwick, in the C. of Leicester and D. of Lincoln. The V. of Banbury in the C. and D of Oxford, and the Cur. of Strode, in the C. of Kent and D. of Rochester.

Augmented by Lot.

The V. of North Muskham in the C. of Nottingham, and the Cur. of Cold Kirby in the C. of York, both in the D. of York. The V. of St. Augustin in the City and D. of Bristol. The of Grinsdale in the C. of and the of Raughtonhead in the C. of both in the D. of Carlisle. The Cur's of Forest Chappel, and Thellwall, both in the C. of Chester, the Cur. of Leck, and the of Pennington, both in the C. of Lancaster, and the of West Witton in the C. of York, all in the D. of Chester. The Cur's of Capel-y-fien and Llangunnog, both in the C. of Brecon, the Cur. of Llangining in the C. of Carmarthen, and the Cur. of East Walton in the C. of Pembroke, all in the D. of St. David's. The R. of St. Botolph in Cambridge, in the D. of Ely. The V. of St. Owen's in Gloucester, the Cur's of Compton Abdale and Hales, both in the C. of Gloucester; all in the D. of Gloucester. The Cur. of Llanvair Discoed, in the C. of Monmouth and D. of Landaff. The Cur's of Alsop and Brimington, both in the C. of Derby and D. of Lichfield and Coventry, The V. of Over Winchenden, in the C. of Buckingham. and D. of Lincoln. The R. of St. Peter's Southgate, the of St. George of Colgate, the of St. John Sepulchre, all in the City of Norwich, the V. of Barwick and the R. of Stanninghall, both in the C. of Norfolk, and all in the D of Norwich. And the R. of St. John's in Southampton in the D. of Winchester. Notice is hereby given, that the Clergy are to pay their Tenths that will become due on Christmas Day next, to Edward Barker, Esq; at his Office in the King's Bench Walks in the Inner Temple, London, where daily Attendance will be given for receiving the same, from the 7th Day of January next, to the last of April following, between the Hours of Nine and One, Holydays excepted.

(Price Two Pence.)

South

South Sea Houſe, London, Dec. 16, 1737.

Purſuant to the Reſolution of the General Court of the South Sea Company held this Day, to pay off a Part of the ſaid Company's Bond Debt carrying Intereſt, the Court of Directors of the ſaid Company give Notice, That the ſeveral Bonds carrying Intereſt of the following Numbers, the ſame having been drawn by Lot, will be paid off on the 25th Day of March next, and that all Intereſt thereon will from that Day ceaſe and determine, viz.

N°.	161 to	170	N°.	3611 to	3620
	191	210		3631	3660
	291	310		3741	3780
	321	330		3901	3910
	381	390		4031	4040
	571	580		4081	4090
	591	600		4101	4130
	651	660		4151	4160
	701	730		4211	4230
	751	760		4271	4280
	1021	1030		4401	4420
	1231	1240		4441	4450
	1261	1270		4811	4820
	1311	1320		4881	4890
	1341	1350		4911	4920
	1671	1680		4941	4950
	1861	1870		5111	5150
	1891	1900		5301	5320
	2011	2020		5331	5340
	2051	2070		5351	5360
	2201	2210		5431	5440
	2231	2240		5481	5490
	2311	2320		5611	5620
	2341	2350		5681	5690
	2391	2400		5941	5950
	2431	2450		6021	6030
	2591	2600		6181	6190
	2671	2690		6521	6530
	2701	2710		6621	6630
	3111	3120		6681	6700
	3211	3220		6721	6730
	3261	3270		6741	6750
	3321	3330		6771	6790
	3391	3400		6811	6820
	3421	3430		6841	6850
	3461	3480		6871	6880
	3531	3550		6901	6920
	3591	3600			

Both Numbers Inclusive. *Both Numbers Inclusive.*

And the ſaid Court of Directors do hereby give this further Notice, That the Company will be ready at any Time after the Firſt of January next (Holidays excepted) to pay off the Principal, together with the Intereſt on the ſaid Bonds, up to the 25th of March next, to ſuch Proprietors as ſhall deſire the ſame.

Exciſe Office, London, Nov. 9, 1737.

Whereas ſeveral Officers belonging to the Revenue of Exciſe, and other Perſons concerned in detecting the Retailers of ſpiritous Liquors, contrary to the Act of the Ninth of his preſent Majeſty, have been violently aſſaulted by divers riotous Perſons unknown, and grievouſly beat and abuſed: In order to diſcourage ſuch Practices for the future, and to bring the Offenders to Juſtice, the Commiſſioners of Exciſe do hereby give Notice, that if any Perſon will make Diſcovery of any of the ſaid Rioters, or of any who ſhall hereafter be guilty of the like Outrages, and give Information thereof to their Sollicitor at the Exciſe Office, ſuch Perſon ſhall immediately upon the Conviction of every ſuch Offender, receive the Reward of Fifty Pounds.

December 6, 1737.

The Principal Officers of his Majeſty's Ordnance do hereby give Notice, that on Tueſday the 10th of January next, at Ten o'Clock in the Morning, they will be ready to ſell by Auction, to the beſt Bidder, at the Office of Ordnance in the Tower, Several Parcels of Rope, Parchment and Paper Cartridges, Buff Belts, Drag Ropes, Iron Chains, Muſquets, Bayonets, Carbines, Piſtols, Swords, a Surgeons Cheſt with Medicines, and other old and unſerviceable Stores, which may be viewed till the Time of Sale at the ſaid Office, where printed Liſts of the Lotts will be delivered to ſuch as call for them.

East India Houſe, Dec. 9, 1737.

Whereas an Anonimous threatning Letter, ſign'd T. T. directed to Harry Gough, Eſq; relating to ſome Affairs now depending before the Court of Directors of the Eaſt India Company, was left on Thurſday Evening the 8th Inſtant, at his Houſe in Wincheſter Street; the ſaid Court do therefore hereby Promiſe, that a Reward of One Hundred Pounds ſhall be Paid by Mr. du Bois, their Treaſurer, at their Houſe, to the Perſon or Perſons who ſhall diſcover and prove the Author thereof. N. B. If the Meſſenger who left the ſaid Letter will diſcover to Mr. du Bois, whom he had it from, he ſhall receive Ten Guineas Reward.

African Houſe, Dec. 15, 1737.

The Court of Aſſiſtants of the Royal African Company of England do hereby give Notice, That the Transfer Books of the ſaid Company will be ſhut from Thurſday the 22d Inſtant December, until Thurſday the 26th of January next, in order to the Election of Governor, Sub-Governor, Deputy Governor, and Twenty-four Aſſiſtants of the ſaid Company for the Year enſuing.

By Order of the Court of Aſſiſtants.

Richard Spence.

Aſſurance Office, Serjeants Inn, Dec, 9, 1737.

A General Court of the Amicable Society for a Perpetual Aſſurance Office, will be held at their Houſe in Serjeants Inn, Fleet-ſtreet, on Thurſday the 22d Day of this Inſtant, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, when the new propoſed By-Laws will be taken into further Conſideration.

Robert Michel, *Regiſter.*

Lead Office, London, Dec. 13, 1737.

The Court of Aſſiſtants of the Governor and Company for Smelting down Lead with Pit-coal and Sea-coal, do hereby give Notice, that the Tranſfer Books of the ſaid Corporation will be ſhut on Wedneſday the 21ſt Inſtant, and opened again on Friday the 6th of January next; and that printed Liſts of the Proprietors will be ready to be delivered at the Company's Houſe in Ingram Court, Fenchurch-ſtreet, on Wedneſday the 28th Inſtant; and that a Court for Electing a Governor, Deputy Governor, and Twelve Aſſiſtants for the Year enſuing, will be held in the Company's Houſe on Thurſday the 5th of January next, from Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, to One in the Afternoon.

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Advertiſements.

TO be ſold to the beſt Bidder, purſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Robert Holford, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, Divers Meſſuages, Farms, Lands, and Cuſtomary Rents, Part of the Eſtates of the late Duke of Wharton, in the Counties of York and Cumberland. Particulars may be had at the ſaid Maſter's Chambers in Symond's Inn, in Chancery Lane.

THE Creditors of James Penne, late of the Pariſh of St James Weſtminſter, in the County of Middleſex, Brandy Merchant, a Bankrupt, are deſired to meet on Thurſday the 22d Inſtant, at Hodgſon's Coffee Houſe in Chancery lane, in order to aſſent or diſſent from the Commencing one or more Suits in Equity. And all Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate are deſired forthwith to pay the ſame to Mr. Ford, Attorney, in Serjeant's Inn, Fleet-ſtreet, whom the Aſſignees have appointed to receive the ſame, or they will be ſued without further Notice.

WHereas by an Act of Parliament made in the Eighth Year of the Reign of his preſent Majeſty King George the Second, entitled, An Act for the Amendment of the Law relating to Actions on the Statute of Hue and Cry all Perſons that intend to take the Benefit of the ſaid Act, are thereby required to give publick Notice in the London Gazette: In purſuance whereof, Thomas Fiſher, of Allerton Bywater, in the Pariſh of Kipax, in the County of York, Yeoman, hereby gives Notice, that he the ſaid Thomas Fiſher, on Thurſday the 1ſt Day of this Inſtant December, at or about the Hour of Ten in the Forenoon, travelling from Allerton Bywater aforeſaid, to Ferrybridge in the ſaid County, was attacked nigh a Place called the Sheep Walks, in the Townſhip of Pontefract, in the Pariſh of Pontefract, in the ſaid County, by two Men on Horſeback unknown to him the ſaid Thomas Fiſher, the one a middle aged Man, who had on a Cap under his Hat, and wore a blue ſhagg'd Riding Coat, buckled about him with a Belt, riding on a black Gelding, with his two hind Feet White; the other a Young Man, who wore a dark coloured Riding Coat, and riding on a brown bay Mare; that the former of them held a Piſtol to the ſaid Fiſher's Breaſt, and bid him ſtand whilſt he ſearch'd him, or he would Shoot him, while the other pulled him from off his Mare, and took from him the Sum of Twenty Three Pounds, Seventeen Shillings and Six Pence in Money.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Joſeph Belch, late of London, Druggiſt, deceaſed, are, on or before the firſt Day of Hillary Term next, to come before William Kinaſton, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, and prove their reſpective Demands, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Charles Packe, late of Preſtwould, in the County of Leiceſter, Eſq; deceaſed, are hereby required, on or before the 12th Day of February next, to come in and prove their Debts before Robert Holford, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn in Chancery Lane, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

TO be ſold, before Francis Eld, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the High Court of Chancery, purſuant to a Decree of the ſaid Court, A Leaſehold Houſe and Garden walled in, in Church Row in Stoke Newington, in the County of Middleſex, being the Ninth Houſe from the Church, with two Coach Houſes and Stabling for four Horſes, and a very good Vault and other Cellaring, late belonging to Mr. Thomas Thompſon, deceaſed. Particulars may be had at the ſaid Maſter's Chambers in Symond's Inn, in Chancery Lane.

TO be peremptorily ſold, purſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before William Kinaſton, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, on Friday the 13th Day of January next, between the Hours of Four and Six of the Clock in the Afternoon of the ſame Day, Part of the Manor of Southwraxall, in the County of Wilts, about Five Miles from Bath, and two from Bradford: A Farm at Bathford, about Three Miles from Bath, in the County of Somerſet, with a good Houſe, Garden, Orchard, and Fiſhery on the River Avon; a Dwelling Houſe, Dye Houſe, and other Outhouſes, fit for a Clothier; and alſo a Leaſehold Eſtate at Southwraxall, late the Eſtate of Daniel Webb, Eſq; deceaſed. Particulars whereof may be had at the ſaid Maſter's Chambers in Lincoln's Inn.

ALL Perſons indebted to the Eſtate of Mr. John Hayward late of Holbourn Bridge, London, Diſtiller, deceaſed are required (by Mrs Ann Hayward, his Widow and Adminiſtratrix, to pay their reſpective Debts to Mr Keene, an Attorney, in Bennet-ſtreet, St. James's, (whom ſhe hath empowered to receive the ſame) before the Firſt Day of January next, or they will be proſecuted for the ſame. And all Perſons who have any Claim or Demand on the ſaid Mr. Hayward's Eſtate, are deſired to bring in an Account thereof to the ſaid Mr. Keene, in order to receive Satisfaction for the ſame.

THE Creditors of James Fiſher, late of Spittlefields, Gold and Silver Wire Drawer, deceaſed, are deſired forthwith to bring an Account of their Debts to Mr. Alexander Garrett the Younger, one of his Executors, at his Houſe in Pater Noſter Row in Spittlefields: And the ſeveral Perſons indebted to the ſaid James Fiſher's Eſtate, are required forthwith to pay the reſpective Debts by them due to the ſaid Alexander Garrett, or they will be ſued for the ſame.

THE Creditors of William Horton, late of the Grove, in the Pariſh of Ellsborough, in the County of Bucks, Eſq; are deſired to meet on Monday the 9th Day of January next, at the King's Head Tavern in Chancery Lane, at Five of the Clock in the Afternoon, to chuſe an Aſſignee or Aſſignees of the ſaid William Horton's Eſtate and Effects. Thoſe Creditors that cannot be perſonally preſent, are deſired to authorize proper Perſons to Vote; and in the Interim to ſend an Account of their Debts to Mr. Quaill, Attorney, in Clement's Inn, London.

THE Aſſignee of the Eſtate and Effects of John Thomſon, late of London, Merchant, deſires the Creditors of the ſaid Bankrupt to meet on Thurſday the 22d Inſtant, at Eleven a-Clock in the Forenoon, at Cole's Coffee Houſe in Birchin Lane, to aſſent or diſſent to the ſaid Aſſignee's commencing or carrying on a Suit or Suits in Equity for Recovery of Part of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate; and to the ſaid Aſſignee's ſubmitting to Arbitration ſeveral Matters in Diſpute, or to the Compounding or otherwiſe agreeing the ſame, and on other ſpecial Affairs.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded againſt Robert Highmore, of Brick Lane, in the Pariſh of White Chapel, in the County of Middleſex, Pawnbroker and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners on the 20th Inſtant at Three in the Afternoon, and on the 31ſt Inſtant, at Ten in the Forenoon, and on the 28th of January next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Firſt Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Lucas, No 14. Paper Buildings in the Temple.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded againſt William Stimſon, late of Shoe Lane, London, Brewer, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners on the 23d and 30th Inſtant, and on the 28th of January next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the firſt Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. William Gaſon, Attorney, in Hare Court in the Temple, London.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded againſt Edmond Williams, of the Pariſh of St. George Hanover Square, in the County of Middleſex, Victualler and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required